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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Fernando L. ALVARADO, et al.

Application No.: 09/522,709

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For: METHOD FOR MANAGING RISK IN MARKETS RELATED TO COMMODITIES
DELIVERED OVER A NETWORK

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2005, now due to expire August 6, 2005, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on September 6, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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